

## Milwaukee County

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## GREEN BAY PACKERS PLAYING FIELD TO RESURFACE IN MITCHELL PARK

Unique partnership between Milwaukee County and Journey House

**Milwaukee, WI** – Milwaukee County Supervisor Peggy A. Romo West is thanking her colleagues on the County Board for unanimously approving a unique partnership with Journey House that will allow a synthetic football field to be installed in Mitchell Park. The field was formerly installed at Nitschke Field and was donated to Journey House by the Green Bay Packers.

Under the terms of a management agreement with Milwaukee County, Journey House will be responsible for all costs associated with the field's installation and ongoing maintenance costs, with the help of an endowment fund.

"The installation of this football field is a great way to further enhance the neighborhoods surrounding Mitchell Park and is consistent with the master plan for the Clarke Square neighborhood," Supervisor Romo West said. "I thank the Green Bay Packers and Journey House for all that they have done to make this project a reality for residents, both young and old, of the 12<sup>th</sup> District and beyond."

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